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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
10 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

11 ROGER RANDOLPH,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 RENE BAKER, et al.,

15 Defendants

Case No. 3:17-cv-00506-MMD-WGC

**ORDER GRANTING
MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME TO FILE JOINT PRE-TRIAL
ORDER (FIRST REQUEST)**

16 Defendants, Renee Baker, Jeffrey Chandler, Steve Dalton, and Ray East, by and
17 through counsel, Aaron D. Ford, Attorney General of the State of Nevada, and Peter E.
18 Dunkley, Deputy Attorney General, hereby submits this Motion for Extension of Time to
19 File Joint Pretrial Order.

20 **MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES**

21 Defendants respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension of time from the
22 current deadline of March 2, 2020, to file the proposed Joint Pretrial Order.

23 On January 30, 2020, the parties attended a settlement conference which did not
24 resolve the case. The Court issued a Minute Order setting the deadline for a the proposed
25 Joint Pretrial Order to be submitted no later than March 2, 2020. (ECF No. 57.)

26 LR 16-3(b) states: "Upon the initiative of a pro se plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, the
27 attorneys or parties who will try the case and who are authorized to make binding

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1 stipulations must personally discuss settlement and prepare and file a proposed joint
2 pretrial order...”

3 Plaintiff has not initiated a conference. Accordingly, Defendants respectfully request
4 30 day, up to an including April 1, 2020, during which time, Defendants will reach out to
5 Plaintiff.

6 Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 6(b)(1) governs extensions of time and provides as
7 follows:

8 When an act may or must be done within a specified time, the
9 court may, for good cause, extend the time: (A) with or without
10 motion or notice if the court acts, or if a request is made, before
11 the original time or its extension expires; or (B) on motion made
after the time has expired if the party failed to act because of
excusable neglect.

12 Defendants’ request will not hinder or prejudice Plaintiff’s case. The requested thirty day
13 extension of time should permit the parties time to adequately to confer and discuss
14 settlement as required by LR 16-3(b). Defendants asserts that the requisite good cause is
15 present to warrant the requested extension of time.

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1 For these reasons, Defendants respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension of
2 confer with Plaintiff and submit a proposed joint pretrial order pursuant to LR 16-3 and
3 ECF No. 57, with a new deadline to and including Wednesday, April 1, 2020.

4 **Proposed Schedule for Remaining Deadlines**

5 Current Proposed Joint Pretrial Order March 2, 2020

6 Proposed Joint Pretrial Order April 1, 2020

7 DATED this 2nd day of March 2020.

8 AARON D. FORD
9 Attorney General

10 By: /s/ Peter E. Dunkley
11 PETER E. DUNKLEY, Bar No. 11110
12 Deputy Attorney General

Attorneys for Defendants

13 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

14 William G. Cobb
15 **U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

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17 **DATED:** March 3, 2020